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Applicants attach copies of the listed documents. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate their consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

The foreign patent documents listed on the attached form were first cited in the Notification of Reasons for Rejection ("Notification") mailed on April 11, 2006, from the Japanese Patent Office in a corresponding Japanese Patent Application, and this

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In lieu of a statement of relevance or translation of the listed non-English documents, an English language version of the Notification is attached. Applicants have also attached a copy of the Notification for the Examiner's convenience. Applicants do not necessarily endorse the conclusions set forth in the Notification.

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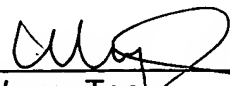
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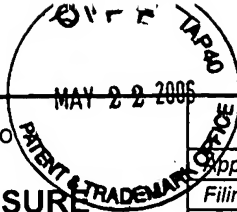
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